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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date, 08/24/2007, rejecting the following claims 1, 3 - 10, 26 - 40, and 44 - 50.

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☐ No Additional Fee Required.

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☒ (b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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